

January
2020

KIDS KRAZE

Programs and activities
offered by



CITY OF BLOOMINGTON
Parks and Recreation



For more information, contact the Bloomington Parks and Recreation Department at 812-349-3700 or visit us at bloomington.in.gov/parks. Register at bloomington.in.gov/parks or stop by the office at City Hall, 401 N. Morton St., Suite 250.

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Inclusive approach to recreation: All City of Bloomington Parks and Recreation programs are inclusive to people with and without disabilities. Please contact our Inclusive Recreation Coordinator for more details: Amy Shrake, CTRS, 812-349-3747 or shrakea@bloomington.in.gov.

The Bloomington Parks Foundation provides need-based scholarships for youth who live in Monroe County, Indiana to participate in Parks and Recreation programs. For more information about how to apply for a scholarship for any Parks and Recreation program, contact the Bloomington Parks and Recreation office at 812-349-3700, or visit bloomington.in.gov/node/3874. Scholarship applications must be submitted at least two weeks prior to the program registration deadline.



**Twin Lakes Recreation Center,
1700 W. Bloomfield Rd.**

For information about the league or season,
contact Scott Pedersen at 812-349-3774
or pederses@bloomington.in.gov.

Season III

This league focuses on basketball fundamentals and the application of learned skills during games for players in grades K through 6. All leagues are coed through grade 3; girls play in a girls-only league beginning in grade 4. Season includes weekly practices and games one night a week. The season will conclude after seven games, with no postseason tournament. Teams practice two nights a week for the first two weeks of the season, then one night a week for the remainder of the season. Expect to play on Saturdays throughout the season in an effort to finish prior to Spring Break. Practice times and days are determined by the coach.

- **Registration deadline is Friday, Jan. 3.**
- **Registrations are not accepted after the deadline.**
- **Season runs Jan. 13–March 6.**
- **Games begin the week of Jan. 27**
- **Practices begin the week of Jan. 13.**

Spaces are limited to a maximum number of players per age group. Once the maximum number of players is reached for each league, registration for that league will close. If your child's league fills, you may opt to place your child's name on a wait list. We will contact you if space becomes available.

Leagues, Game Days, and Registration Codes

Grade K • W • 150301-A
Grade 1 • M • 150301-B
Grade 2 • Tu • 150301-C
Grade 3 • W • 150301-D
Grade 4 Boys • Tu • 150301-E
Grade 5 Boys • Tu • 150301-F
Grade 6 Boys • M • 150301-G
Grades 4–6 Girls • Th • 150301-H
\$85 • Register by 1/3.

REQUIRED

Evaluation Sessions

To ensure a fair and equitable distribution of skills per team, we will conduct a coach's draft. Each player must attend a skill evaluation session:

Grade K • 1/6 • 5:30 p.m.
Grade 1 • 1/6 • 6 p.m.
Grade 2 • 1/6 • 6:30 p.m.
Grade 3 • 1/6 • 7 p.m.
Grade 4 Boys • 1/7 • 6 p.m.
Grade 5 Boys • 1/7 • 6:30 p.m.
Grade 6 Boys • 1/7 • 7 p.m.
Grades 4–6 Girls • 1/7 • 5:30 p.m.
Make-up session • 1/8 • 6 p.m.

COACHES NEEDED: If interested in volunteer coaching, visit bloomington.in.gov/parksvol.

Deadline to apply to be a volunteer coach is Jan. 3.

Mandatory Coaches Meeting and Coach Draft at the Twin Lakes Recreation Center on Wednesday, Jan. 8 at 7 p.m.:

Coaches are strongly encouraged to attend evaluations in preparation for the draft!

All selected coaches must complete an annual online coaching certification through the National Youth Sports Coaches Association at nays.org. Registration fee for the course is \$20.



Experience our midwestern winter wonderland!

Saturday, January 11 • 1-4 p.m.

Switchyard Park, Grimes Lane entrance

**Admission: \$5
Family pass: \$20**

(provides admittance to Winter Palooza
for up to five members of the same family)

In partnership with:
freezefest.com



Title sponsor:

DEEM

Ammonia, Halocarbon & CO2 Refrigeration Design/Build Services

No snow is required for our outdoor celebration of everything winter! If there is no natural snow, we will make artificial snow to play in!

bloomington.in.gov/winter

EXCEL TAE KWON DO

This class focuses on coordination, discipline and self-confidence in a fun and safe environment. Excel TKD is taught by Master Emeline O'Connor, a 4th-degree black belt with more than 20 years of experience. Some of her achievements include multiple National and Junior Olympic Championships in the AAU and USSSA organizations, AAU and USSSA National team member, and the first woman to be inducted in the USSSA Hall of Fame. The ultimate goal at Excel TKD is to mold future black belts into the best martial artists they can be. Instructor: Emeline O'Connor

Beginner—Tuesdays and Thursdays, 5:30–6:30 p.m.

1/7–2/20 • Register by 1/12 • 150213-A • \$65

3/3–4/23 • Register by 3/8 • 150213-C • \$65

Advanced—Tuesdays, 6:45–7:45 p.m. and Thursdays, 5:30–6:30 p.m.

1/7–2/20 • Register by 1/12 • 150213-B • \$65

3/3–4/23 • Register by 3/8 • 150213-D • \$65

For all ages.

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Class does not meet 3/16–3/22.



Register online at bloomington.in.gov/parks.

MOVIES IN THE PARKS



DISNEY TRIVIA AND MOVIE NIGHT

The Lion King (2019-PG)

Saturday, January 25 • FREE

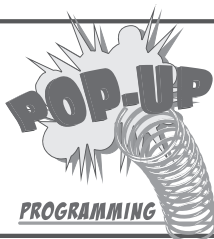
Trivia from 5–7 p.m.

Movie begins at 7 p.m. • Movie runtime: 1 hr 58 min
Switchyard Park, 1601 S. Rogers St., Pavilion

Test your knowledge of all things Disney in a family-style trivia competition! Teams consist of no more than six people, and trivia questions are suitable for all ages. Use of cell phones or other digital devices is not allowed!

Sponsored by: Steven Fortune, Edward Jones Financial Advisor and RLR Associates

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Birthday Parties

at the Allison-Jukebox Community Center,
351 S. Washington St.

Room	Nonprofit rate	Private Rate
The “Carpet Room” (carpet flooring) 1,500 sq. ft. (62.5' x 24') maximum capacity 50 people.	\$45/hour	\$55/hour
The “Tile Room” (vinyl tile flooring) 1,150 sq. ft. (48' x 24') maximum capacity 80 people.	\$45/hour	\$45/hour

Ten tables and 60 chairs are available for use.

Twenty-two free parking spaces, and three free accessible parking spaces, are available behind the building.

Available for rent daily between 8 a.m. and 11 p.m. Call 812-349-3731 for reservation and availability. All room rentals require a 50% deposit.



1700 W. Bloomfield Rd.

Family Memberships

as low as \$52.50/month!*

- ❏ Five hardwood courts
- ❏ Turf field
- ❏ Group fitness classes free for members
- ❏ 1/8-mile indoor track
- ❏ Complete fitness center
- ❏ Cardio equipment!

Call 812-349-3720 or drop in for a personal tour.

*for a 12-month membership

FRANK SOUTHERN ICE ARENA

2100 S. Henderson St. • Open October 11–March 1

Ice Information Hotline: 812-349-3741

Public Skating

The ice arena is open for general admission public skating during these times:

Monday through Friday: Noon–2:30 p.m.

Friday: 7–9 p.m.

Saturday: 1:30–3 p.m.

7–9 p.m. (Lunar Skating)

9:15–11 p.m. (Night Owl)

Sunday: 3–5 p.m.

Rates

General Admission: \$6

Skate Rental: \$3

New Skate Sharpening: \$10

Skate Sharpening: \$6 and \$7 (immediate service)

Economy Pass: \$54 (10 sessions, excludes skate rental)

Holiday Public Skating Schedule

JANUARY						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
			1 CLOSED	2 noon–6 p.m.	3 noon–6 p.m.	4 noon–6 p.m.
5 noon–6 p.m.	6 reg. hours	7 reg. hours	8 reg. hours	9 reg. hours	10 reg. hours	11 reg. hours



at Frank Southern Ice Arena
City of Bloomington Parks and Recreation

Session II

Eight 30-minute classes and
eight 30-minute scheduled practice times

January 9–February 29

\$80/in-city, \$90/non-city for all sessions except Figure Skating, which is \$100/in-city, \$110/non-city

Register by January 8.

bloomington.in.gov/skatingschool

Frank Southern Ice Arena
presents weekly ice skating
lessons for all ages
and ability levels!

Party Room Rentals

Rent the rinkside party room
for your next birthday, holiday,
company party, or just for a group
of friends. Call 812-349-3762
for more information or to
make a reservation.



HOCKEY INITIATION SESSION II



**Sundays, January 12–
February 16**

1:45–2:45 p.m.

For ages 5–14 yrs.

A safe and positive experience for beginning hockey players!

The primary focus of instruction is on skating,
puck handling, passing, and shooting.

Equipment required: a bicycle helmet,
any type of gloves, and a hockey stick.

\$50/in-city, \$55/non-city • Register by 1/10.



at Frank Southern Ice Arena

Spring Ice Show

Saturday, March 7 • 2–5 p.m.

Spectator admission is FREE.

Skating School participants perform a variety of routines
that demonstrate their newly acquired ice skating skills.

Register online at bloomington.in.gov/parks.